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Attachments: EPA Region 5 Report on State Environmental Legislation (12-19-2017).docx

The third item might be of interest to all of you, and the fourth/last item might be of interest to ATAB and APB.

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Attached is a digest of new and active environmental legislation from Region 5 states.

Executive Summary

Wisconsin governor Scott Walker has approved a bill that will exempt owners of contaminated property from remediation requirements if the owner did not cause the contamination. WIS.B. 173.

Walker has also approved a bill related to mitigation requirements applicable to wetland permits. The bill states "[i]f the department issues a wetland individual permit . . . to a public utility . . . or a cooperative association organized . . . for the purpose of producing or furnishing heat, light, water, or power to its members only, the

department may not require mitigation under the program ... unless the discharge authorized by the wetland individual permit will result in a permanent fill of more than 10,000 square feet of wetland.” WIA.B. 497.

A public hearing was held in Wisconsin regarding a bill requiring the DNR to identify and repeal all administrative rules promulgated by DNR that relate to the regulation of air pollutants that are not regulated under federal law. WIS.B. 459.

Another public hearing was held in Wisconsin regarding a bill which prohibits the DNR from including the air monitoring site located at Kohler-Andrae State Park in Sheboygan County in the annual monitoring network plan, beginning with the plan submitted in 2018. WIS.B. 466.

Thank you.

Bob Hartzer